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January 20th, 1915

Norman MacLean, Esq.,

Christs College,

Cambridge.

Dear Mr. MacLean:

We are looking for a young man to act as lecturer next year in our Department of Orientals. He should know Hebrew well, and if possible some Arabic. His duties would commence at the opening of next term, about the end of September. The salary would be $1200, possibly $1500. I wonder whether there is any recent graduate of Cambridge of whom you could think as being suitable for us, and who would be likely to come. Very possibly owing to the war your most likely men are away on other duty. We are feeling the burden of it here also, and I am sure when the need is made known the response will be prompt, as has already been the case.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 6th, 1915

Norman McLean, Esq.,

Christ's College,

Cambridge, England.

My dear Mr. McLean:

I have to thank you for your letter of February 2nd sending me names of men who might be suitable for our position. I shall be glad to keep them by me, and may trespass upon your kindness later in asking for further information with regard to some of them, though I think that we shall be able before long to fill our positions for next year. With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.